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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Natzle et al.
Serial No.: 10/722,873
For: STRUCTURE AND METHOD TO FABRICATE FINFET DEVICES
Filed: November 26, 2003
Examiner: Fazil Erdem
Art Unit: 2826
Confirmation No.: 1714
Customer No.: 27,623 Attorney Docket No.: FIS920030343US1

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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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We are enclosing a response to the communication dated January 20, 2006 in the above-identified application.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

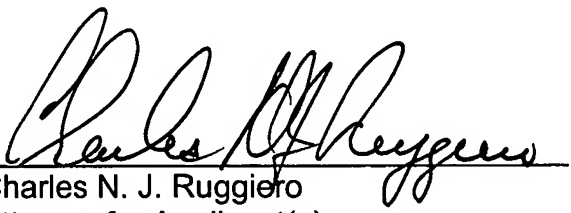
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Independent Claims		Minus		0	x \$200.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE				x \$360.00 = \$		
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES				\$0.00		
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The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00 .

 A check in the amount of \$ is attached.

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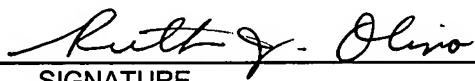
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.